सुरक्षित पाया गया है । उत्तरकाशी में अक्तूबर 1991 में आए भूकम्प को देखते हुए सरकार परियोजनाओं की सुरक्षा की दृष्टि से पुन: समीक्षा कराए जाने का इरादा रखती है ।

DESU's Acceptance of Land for Sub-station At Sangam Vihar, New Delhi

1768. SHRI N. E. BALARAM : Will the Minister of POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the space for 66 KV Station offered by Residents Association of Sangam Vihar, New Delhi has been accepted by the DESU on the 4th September, 1990;

(b) whether it is aiso a fact that the Residents Association has provided the required plots for 11 KV sub-stations for electrification of Sangam Vihar, New Delhi; and

(c) if answer to parts (a) and (b) be in the affirmative, what are the reasons for not starting the electrification work of Sangam Vihar, New Delhi 62 '.>

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI KALP NATH RAI): (a) to (c) The site offered by the Residents' Welfare Association Sangam Vihar for 66 KV substation alongwith a proposal for route clearance for the transmission line from 220 KV sub-station at Okhla to Sagam Vihar was referred by DESU to the DDA who have not given their approval on the ground that Sangam Vihar is not a regularised colony. DESU has, therefore requested Delhi Administration for intervention in the matter. DESU requires sites for 29 substations (11 KV) for electrification of the area and five Residents' Assocaitions are involved. So far, only 10 sites have been offered by two Associations and only one site has been actually handed over to DESU. DESU can prepare the scheme for electrification of the area only if the clearance for 66 KV sub-station site and the corridor for the transmission line from 220 KV sub-station at Okhla to Sangam Vihar is given by the DDA and also all the sites for 11 KV sub-stations are handed over to DESU.

Number of Power Projects Handed over to Foreign Companies and Private Firms

1769. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA : Will the Minister of POWER AND NON-CONVENTTONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news item which, appeared in the 'Nav Bharat Times' of the 30th April, 1992 regarding handing over of a number of power projects to foreign companies and private firms;

(b) if so, what are the details regarding power projects being handed over to foreign firms; and

(c) what are the conditions on which power projects have been handed over to foreign firms/private sector ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI KALP NATH RAI): (a) Yes, Sir.